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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated December 20, 2007, finally rejecting all pending claims. A Request for Continued Examination and Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed concurrently herewith. Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.